

STATISTICS OF FISHING INDUSTRY OF ALASKA, SEASON OF 1919

The company or individual receiving this blank is requested to supply the data called for herein and mail the statement to the Bureau of Fisheries, Washington, D. C. (in the franked envelope provided for the purpose), as soon as possible after the close of the fishing season. The law requires that reports of this character be forwarded not later than December 15, and that they "shall be sworn to by the superintendent, manager, or other person having knowledge of the facts, a separate blank form being used for each establishment in cases where more than one cannery, saltery, or other establishment is conducted by a person, company, or corporation." Attention is called to the fact that a heavy penalty is provided for failure to comply with the provisions of the law.

H. M. SMITH,
U. S. Commissioner of Fisheries.

Name of company or individual Swist, Arthur, Crosby, Company

Location of home office 3301 L B Smith Bldg. Seattle, Wash

Location of plant Heceta Island, Alaska

Value of plant, including land, buildings, and shore equipment, \$84,142.⁸⁵/₁₀₀

Cost of operations, exclusive of wages, and value of vessels, boats, and fishing gear shown below \$265,473.¹⁵/₁₀₀

NUMBER OF PERSONS EMPLOYED AND AMOUNT OF WAGES PAID.

Designation.	Whites.	Natives.	Chinese.	Japanese.	Filipinos.	Koreans.	Mexi- cans.	Porto Ricans.	Kanakas.	Negroes.	Others (indicate).	Total wages paid.
Fishermen	37	30			8							61,399. ⁶⁵ ₁₀₀
Shoresmen ^a	13	18	23	25								64,677. ⁸⁸ ₁₀₀
Transporters ^b	19	1										14,809. ⁷³ ₁₀₀
Total	69	49	23	25	8							140,887. ²⁷ ₁₀₀

^a Includes office force in Alaska.

^b Includes crews of vessels carrying supplies who are not elsewhere shown as fishermen or shoresmen.

VESSELS AND BOATS.

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FISHING APPARATUS.

Kind.	No.	Length.	Value.	Kind.	No.	Value.
Seines, beach.	9	(a) 1440	5760. ⁰⁰	Traps, staked.	5	29,978. ¹⁹
Seines, purse	3	(a) 750	5250. ⁰⁰	Traps, floating	1	3,158. ¹²
Gill nets		(a)		Dip nets		
Hand lines				Fish wheels		
Trawl lines		(b)				

a Give aggregate length in fathoms.

^b Give aggregate number of hooks.

LOSSES DURING YEAR.

Loss of life.					Loss of property.	
Designation.	Drowning.	Other accidents.	Disease.	Total.	Items.	Kind and value.
Fishermen			1	1	Buildings	
Shoresmen					Vessels and boats	
Transporters					Fishing gear	
Total			1	1	Canned or other product	

It is desired that this information be prepared with accuracy and detail, so far as the packers' records can by reasonable effort be made to furnish it. Different streams in the same bay or sound should be separately reported so far as the catch can properly be credited to each. Catches not certainly referable to particular streams may be reported under the head of the bay, sound, or region.

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How prepared.	Coho or silver.	Chum or keta.	Humpback or pink.	King or spring.	Red or sockeye.	Dolly Varden or salmon trout.	Steelhead.	Total.
CANNED:								
Cases, ½-lb. cans, 48's.....Number.....								
Value.....								
Cases, ½-lb. cans, 96's.....Number.....								
Value.....								
Cases, 1-lb. flat cans.....Number.....								
Value.....								
Cases, 1-lb. tall cans.....Number.....	4006	27910	37,130		3253			72294
Value.....	40,700.46	178,624.00	304,094.12		38,808.29			562,227.87
MILD CURED:								
Tierces (800 lbs. each).Number.....								
Value.....								
PICKLED:								
Barrels (200 lbs. each).Number.....								
Value.....								
Bellies.....Pounds.....								
Value.....								
Backs.....Pounds.....								
Value.....								
DRY SALTED.....Number of fish.....								
Pounds.....								
Value.....								
FROZEN.....Number of fish.....								
Pounds.....								
Value.....								
SHIPPED FRESH.....Number of fish.....								
Pounds.....								
Value.....								

How prepared.	Pounds.	Value.	How prepared.	Number.	Value.
HALIBUT:			HERRING:		
Fresh (shipped)			CANNED:		
Fresh (sold locally)			Cases, $\frac{1}{2}$ -lb. cans.....		
Frozen			Cases, 1-lb. cans.....		
Fletched				Pounds.	
Dry salted					
Smoked			Dry salted For food		
Canned			Fresh For food		
Cod:			For bait		
Vessel catch—			Frozen For food		
Dry salted			For bait		
Pickled			Pickled, Scotch cure (in half-barrels)		
Stockfish			Pickled, Scotch cure (in full barrels)		
Tongues			Pickled, Norwegian cure		
Cod-liver oil galls.....			Pickled For bait		
Shore station catch—			Fertilizer tons.....		
Dry salted			Oil galls.....		
Pickled			SALMON:		
Stockfish			Caviar		
Tongues			Beleke		
Cod-liver oil galls.....			Ukalu		
CANNED:			Kipperd		
Cases, $\frac{1}{2}$ -lb. cans Number			Dried		
Value			Fertilizer tons.....		
Cases, 1-lb. flat cans Number			Oil galls.....		
Value					

Catch.				Products.		
Species.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Items.	Quantity.	Value.
Bowhead.....				Oil, body.....	galls.	
California gray.....				Oil, sperm.....	galls.	
Finback.....				Fertilizer, meat.....	tons.	
Humpback.....				Fertilizer, bone.....	pounds.	
Sulphur-bottom.....				Whalebone.....	pounds.	
Sperm.....				Meat, pickled.....	pounds.	
Others ^a				Stearin.....	galls.	
Total.....						

^a Indicate number and sex of each species.

CLAM PRODUCTS.

How prepared.	Mined clams.			Whole clams.			Clam juice.		
	No. cans per case.	Cases.	Value.	No. cans per case.	Cases.	Value.	No. cans per case.	Cases.	Value.
CANNED:									
Cases, 1/2-lb. cans									
Cases, 1-lb. cans									
Cases, 2-lb. cans									
Cases, 10-lb. cans									
Total									

MISCELLANEOUS PRODUCTS.

Items.			Quantity.	Value.	Items.			Quantity.	Value.
			Pounds.						
Sablefish	Fresh				Tomcod	Fresh	pounds		
	Frozen					Frozen	pounds		
	Pickled					Pickled	pounds		
	Smoked				Other fish ^a	Fresh	pounds		
Eulachon	Fresh					Frozen	pounds		
	Pickled					Pickled	pounds		
	Smoked				Grayfish	Oil	galls		
Rockfish or bass	Fresh					Fertilizer	tons		
	Frozen				Crabs	(Specify unit)			
	Pickled					Mussels	do		
Smelt	Fresh				Oysters	do			
	Frozen					Seaweed	do		
	Pickled				Ivory (walrus)	do			
Pollock	Fresh					Hides	Hair seal number		
	Frozen					Sea lion	number		
	Pickled					Walrus	number		
Flatfish	Fresh								
	Frozen								
	Pickled								

^a State species.

ADDITIONAL OR EXPLANATORY INFORMATION.

I, the undersigned, being duly sworn, depose and say that the foregoing information is correct and true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

State of Washington
County of King

[Signature]
Owner, Superintendent, Manager.
(ERASE INAPPLICABLE WORDS.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12 day of December 1919.



W. L. Brown
Notary Public.
Notary Public in and for the State of
Washington, residing at Seattle.